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**English Not Yet Ready
for National Theatre,
Says Henry A. Jones**

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Henry Arthur Jones, the playwright, has returned from America feeling as he expresses it, "like his own country." He says that the English are not yet ready for a national theatre, and that the American people are more advanced in this respect.

The increased use of whiskey and pine for colds is causing discussion among chemists, who say that the almost infallible cure when mixed with certain other ingredients and taken in small quantities is a very effective source of glycerine and half an ounce of Pine Compound. The chemists say, "Take these two ingredients and mix them in equal parts. It is a good whiskey. Shake well and take one or two doses. It is a very good and at bedtime." Smaller doses to children are also recommended. It is often known the worst cough or cold is cured by the use of this Pine Compound. Globe Pine Compound (Cincinnati, Ohio).

—Advertisement.

Three reasons that demand your patronage—Qualities better and purer than U. S. Government Standards—Five convenient stores from which to choose—Distance—

American Whiskies		Imported Whiskies	
Banquet Rye 40. Qt. 97c	Special Scotch Bot. 90c		
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Wilson Whisky Bot.	85c	Wm. Jameson Irish	1.00
Duffy's Malt Bot.	85c		
Canadian Club Whisky	1.05	<i>Imported Wines</i>	
<i>Special Rums</i>		Duff Gordon Sherry	69c
Jamaica 912, 910, 910		Sherry "La Penne"	Bot. 49c
Imperial 1012, 60c		Imported	
Black & White 912, 910		Old Spanish	Bot. 69c
Rum 800, 60c		Imported	
Port 800, 60c		Port	Bot. 47c

Special Gins		Champagne	
Booth's Old Tom 85c		Heidsieck 1891 3.00	
Gordon Dry Bot. 95c		Champagne 1891 3.00	
Robt. Leeds 69c	Old Dry Bot.	Nebio 1891 3.00	
Lighthouse 1.00	Holland 75c	Champagne 1891 3.00	
Imported Brandies		Domestic Wine	
J. Hennessy 1.55	Old Bot. 1.55	Cal. Port, Sherry 23c	
J. Hennessy 1.39	Old Bot. 1.39	Santa Teresa Wines 29c	
J. & F. Martell 1.45	Old Bot. 1.45	Port, Sherry, etc. 1.00	
		Champagne 1891 1.00	

Brandy	COOKING	Qt. 75c	Champagne	1 gal. 1.00
Other World Known Specials				
Cocktails	Heublein's Bot.	1.00	Bass' Ale	Metcalfe's Qt. 30c
Cocktails	Guinness, Martell	85c	Stout	McKee's Pt. 28c
Cocktails	Blackwell's Bot.	1.3c	Stout	McKee's Pt. 28c
Alcohol	Blackwell's Bot.	1.3c	Stout	McKee's Pt. 28c
Cr. de Menthe	Pure Brandy	1.45c	Beer	ANHEUSER Doz. 1.40
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80 SUMMER ST. - BOSTON

SHOWMAN BAILEY'S WEALTH IN DISPUTE

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Mrs. Anna Bailey, Showman, has brought suit contesting the probated will of her sister, Mrs. Ruth Bailey Bailey, widow of James A. Bailey, the veteran showman and partner of F. T. Barnum.

Mrs. Bailey left about \$20,000,000. Mrs. Bailey's estate is valued at \$10,000,000.

WILLIAM W. WATKINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW
WATKINS BROS. & CO., INC.
 100 NASSAU ST., NEW YORK

YALE "STRONG MAN" SMASHES RECORDS

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 22.—The highly prized title of "Yale's strong man" has been conferred on W. F. Book, a junior at the Scientific School. He has broken all the university records for lifts of strength and rolled up the remarkable total of 2,400 pounds. The former record was 2,400.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

PRESIDENT LOWELL TO TEACH COURSE

President Lowell of Harvard will teach a long established president's rule at the beginning of the second half of the year by personally taking charge of the course. It is one of the most popular student courses attended by 250 men. He is taking Professor W. B. Munroe's place.

You see the AMERICAN every where—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

PALATIAL CAR BEARS FRICKS TO SEA SHORE

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The rare Chinese porcelain vase among the treasures of the private car of Henry C. Frick of Westmoreland, in which he and Mrs. Frick and members of the household are on their way to Palm Beach, several of the rooms are in the style of the period of Louis XVI, and the kind of which it is constructed is as polished as its porcelain work.

FR. JOSEPH, LEPER HERO, STILL ALIVE

HONOLULU, Jan. 22.—The reported death of Brother Joseph, the noted priest, who replaced Fr. Damien of the Molokai leper colony, has proved untrue. The priest has sent a letter to Honolulu in which he says he is well and enjoying good health.

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BABY WASHED ASHORE FROM WRECK LIVES

PORTO, Jan. 22.—A ten-month-old baby, which was washed ashore wrapped in blankets from the wreck of the steamship Vermon, is alive and well.

The latest computation is that there were fifty-four victims of the wreck. These include three first and three second-class passengers, thirty-five Spanish emigrants and five members of the crew.

DR. ELIOT TO SPEAK AT CARNEGIE HALL

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, will make an address Friday evening in Carnegie Hall under the auspices of the Civic Forum and the New York Peace Society. Andrew Carnegie will preside.

MACKINLAY'S V. O. S. SCOTCH WHISKY. Fully matured, 10 years in wood; finest in quality and flavor. Ask any dealer about them.

Boston Fire Insurance Co. Adjustment**BIG FIRE SALE OF SHOES**

FIRE CAUSES \$22,000.00 LOSS

Fire broke out at midnight on the corner of the street and destroyed the building. At the junction of the street and the street, a large fire broke out and destroyed the building. At the junction of the street and the street, a large fire broke out and destroyed the building.

\$22,000.00 WORTH OF SHOES AND RUBBERS FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

LESS THAN 33 PER CENT ON THE SACRIFICED AT

SHEINWALD'S Big Dept Shoe Store, 40 SUMMER STREET



MAIL ORDERS
Send Size and Money Order

30 RAIN-COATS LEFT
12 \$10 COATS \$1.30
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EXAMPLE OF WONDERFUL BARGAINS SATIN SLIPPERS

Beautifully made for Back Bay trade in all fashionable shades to harmonize with any color gown. \$4 and \$5 value. **FIRE SALE PRICE 1.55**

MAIL ORDERS

The above newspaper clipping gives the news of the fire at the Boston Special No. 1 Shoe Store. Sheinwald, being the only dealer in Boston with facilities to handle big shoe stocks, an arrangement was made with him by the adjuster of the Boston Fire Insurance Co. to sell out the entire stock at his big 40 Summer Street store.

I personally selected the shoe stock for this big sale. I picked only the most saleable goods, casting aside any shoes or other footwear that was noticeably affected either by fire, water or smoke. It never has been my pleasure to offer to my customers more wonderful bargains than I can give at this sale. The insurance arrangement is that I can sell at any price.

I HAVE FULL POWER, AND BELIEVE ME THAT MY CUSTOMERS ARE GOING TO GET THE BENEFIT OF THE GREATEST BARGAINS IN BOSTON.

This stock is composed of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers, etc. from such prominent shoe manufacturers as Wm. H. McEwan, Endicott, Johnson & Co., Uppham Bros., Whitman & Keith, Geo. Snow, Hennessy, Maxwell & Hennessy, Randall Adams Shoe Co., John Pilling, American Rubber Co., Hood Rubber Co., Beacon Falls Rubber Co. and others—in fact, a stock such as only to be found in the best shoe stores in America.

BIG FIRE SALE BEGINS TOMORROW MORNING AT 40 SUMMER ST.

OPEN SAT. NIGHTS	WOMEN'S SHOE DEPARTMENT	OPEN SAT. NIGHTS	CHILDREN'S SHOES	OPEN SAT. NIGHTS	MEN'S SHOE DEPARTMENT	OPEN SAT. NIGHTS
STORM BOOTS For ladies and grown girls. Made for the best trade. Strong, waterproof and extremely stylish. \$5 and \$6 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 2.45 MAIL ORDERS	Only 329 pairs left, mostly lace. All the swell shops charge \$3 and \$5.50. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.29 MAIL ORDERS	Newest High Boot The present rage in fashionable footwear. In Russia call and all leather. Regular prices \$5 and \$6. FIRE SALE PRICE 2.45 MAIL ORDERS	High-Cut Boots Combining strength, wearing quality and style. Sell for \$5 everywhere. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.29 MAIL ORDERS	Latest Custom Model Strictly hand sewed—with higher heels if desired. Preferred by the State Street and Back Bay trade. Regular Price \$5 and \$6. FIRE SALE PRICE 2.45 MAIL ORDERS	Only 379 Pairs selected as saleable. No smell of smoke remains. A faultless shoe of \$4 and \$5 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.98 MAIL ORDERS	W. L. Douglas CUSTOM SHOES Lace and Button 1.69 MAIL ORDERS
Women's and Grown Girls' \$3.50 and \$4 Values Lace and Button FIRE SALE PRICE 1.55 MAIL ORDERS	NEWEST MODEL A wonderfully beautiful boot. Carries all the best trade. Russia call and all leather. Also cloth tops. \$6.00 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.89 MAIL ORDERS	Children's Pantalette Leggings In six different colors. All other stores charge \$2 to \$2.50 a pair. FIRE SALE PRICE 69c MAIL ORDERS	Two-Buckle Waterproof Heavy waterproof leather, 2 buckles; \$4 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.39 MAIL ORDERS	CUSTOM WORK Ultra fashionable appearance—only selected 438 pairs as saleable—all perfect. Do not even retain odor of smoke—a gentleman's shoe. \$4 and \$5 Values. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.98 MAIL ORDERS	14-inch high cut waterproof Boots. Smell gone. They sold 10,000 pairs every year by mail to people in N.E. States. \$6 and \$7 values. FIRE SALE PRICE 2.95 MAIL ORDERS	Men's \$2 1-Buckle Overshoes Regular \$3.50 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 89c MAIL ORDERS
LADIES' JULIETS With Rubber Heels. 1.00 to \$1.50 FIRE SALE PRICE 59c MAIL ORDERS	Women's regular \$3.50 Overshoes. Fit most anybody. Best made. This sale. 1.79 MAIL ORDERS	Boys' Box Calf \$2.00 Shoe, lace and button. FIRE SALE PRICE 95c MAIL ORDERS	Boys' High-Cut Storm Boots Heavy waterproof leather, 2 buckles; \$4 value. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.69 MAIL ORDERS	Built for Strength, Wear and Style Retains perfect shape under hard usage. A favorite with marketmen. Regular Price \$3.50 and \$4. FIRE SALE PRICE 1.98 MAIL ORDERS	Men's 1-Buckle \$2 Overshoes 89c MAIL ORDERS	Men's 4-Buckle \$3.50 Overshoes 25c MAIL ORDERS

SHEINWALD'S DEPARTMENT SHOE STORE

40 SUMMER STREET

CASSIDY ASKS FRIENDS OF PURE FOOD TO FIGHT FOR NEW BILLS

Harry P. Cassidy today urges every Boston man or woman, who can arrange to do so, to attend the legislative hearing tomorrow afternoon, when, at all probability, the fate of the first two pure food bills of the present session will be decided. This hearing has been carried over from yesterday, when the advocates of the bill presented their side. "These two bills," says Cassidy, "are progressive food laws of the sort Massachusetts needs. They should pass." Cassidy gives warning that the retail dealers are massing for an attack upon the bills. "The friends of pure food and honest food should all gather," he says.

By HARRY P. CASSIDY.

Tomorrow afternoon the Committee on Agriculture will give a hearing on two bills of vital importance to those in the state who want to see the consumer get pure food, and get the value that he pays for.

One is a bill to standardize cheese and regulate its sale. The other is a bill to regulate the standards of butter, invented butter and oleomargarine.

At the hearing tomorrow afternoon the retail dealers will mass to attack upon the bills. THE FRIENDS OF PURE AND HONEST FOOD SHOULD ALSO GATHER. In contrast to the attempts of the retailers to keep upon a dose for cheating the consumer.

The hearing will be held about 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, after the session of the Legislature has closed. It is in the State House, first floor, room 10. The committee on Agriculture is sitting. He will tell you, for the first time, how the committee has been working. He will tell you, for the first time, how the committee has been working. He will tell you, for the first time, how the committee has been working.

People Must Awake.

They will be there to oppose this law. They will want to see it passed. They will want to see it passed. They will want to see it passed.

"The Boston Corner on Boston's Business Streets."

Magrane Houston Co.

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A New Name for an Old Store With a Good Name.

A Week-Long Demonstration of the Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

UNDER DIRECTION OF Mrs. A. C. King of NEW YORK

An acceptable opportunity for home sewers who have had any difficulty or dissatisfaction with patterns of this or any other make.

Mrs. King possesses the most advanced Spring style information, and is here to answer questions and offer expert advice without the least obligation on your part.

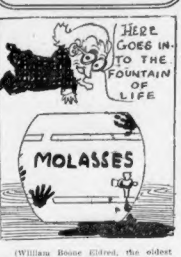
A Comfortable and Happy Trip to California, in Good Company and at a Very Small Cost

A very cheap railroad ticket to California, extra comfortable sleeping berths in Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars, everything as clean as wax and the price of all reduced to a point which enables most anyone to go.

City of Boston.

RECEPTION OFFICERS—Boston is a lovely city. It is a lovely city. It is a lovely city.

HOW TO LIVE TO A SWEET OLD AGE



(William House, Editor, the oldest publisher of Wakefield, lived to be a hundred and ninety-three, and he swallowed a gallon of molasses a week.)

If you would live to be one hundred and ninety-three, and make and chew a pound of pure molasses. For days of youth and vigor.

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DISMISSAL OF CASSIDY FOR CAUSES OF GREAT PROTEST

(From Philadelphia North American.)

HARRISBURG, Jan. 22.—So great has been the protest since Governor Yeargan dismissed State Food Agent Harry P. Cassidy from office, to please Senator Brown, "Admiral" Evans and the food dope interests that the Governor has come to the conclusion that a real popular thing for him to do is to urge the passage by the new Legislature of genuine pure food legislation, with the dope out, and to do an effective blow to the "villain and spout" egg business.

He is quite right in thinking this. What the people want and pure food advocates will welcome him as a result.

If there is one thing Yeargan desires since the birth of his ambition to succeed Evans as boss, it is to get the support of the Legislature. He has to get it. He has to get it. He has to get it.

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TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

LONG BRANCH, N. J.—A ten-pound dog was caught by a dog by the name of "Long Branch" and was taken to the local police.

WASHINGTON—President Taft is expected to leave for Europe in the near future.

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MILK PRODUCERS REORGANIZE TO GET INSIDE LAW

The Boston Co-operative Milk Producers' Company is preparing plans for a new organization to get inside the law. The new organization is being formed by the milk producers of Boston, and is being formed by the milk producers of Boston, and is being formed by the milk producers of Boston.

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By "Bud" Fisher



LEADERS CLASH IN HARD MATCH ON THE ALLEYS

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HELLFIRE'S
DELIGHTFUL ETCHINGS.

several new articles of the great
French master of the dryclean
Exclusive y
IN SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

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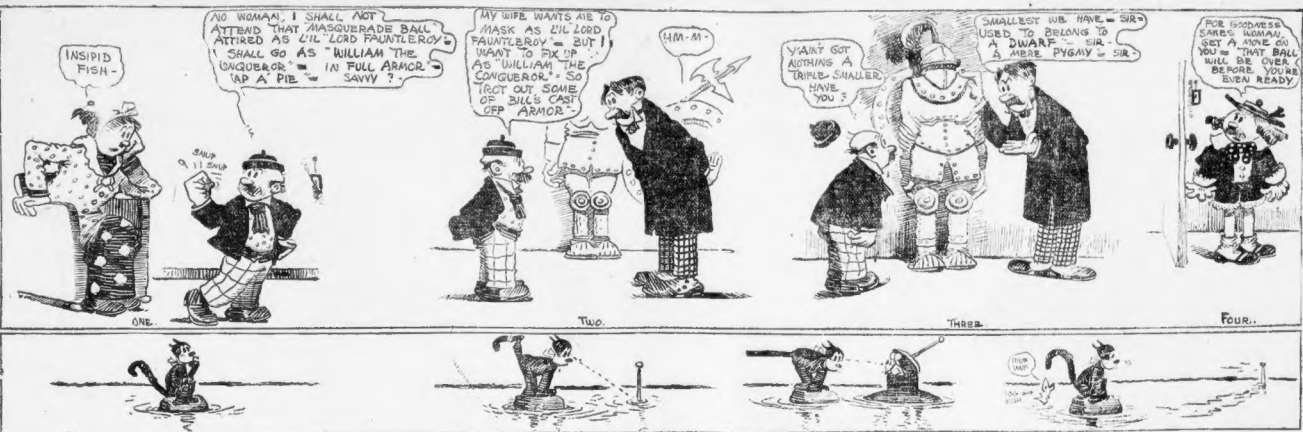
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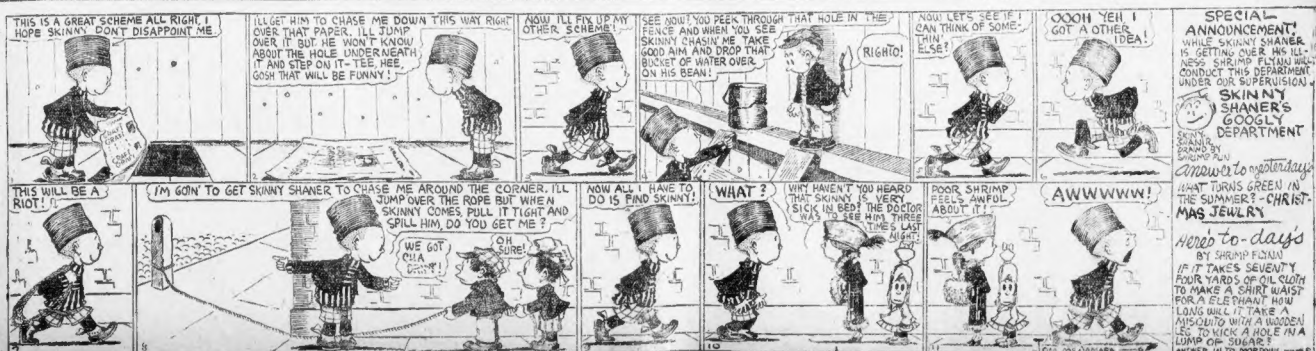


Us Boys

Shinny Got Sick at the Right Time

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By Tom McNamara



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SOUTHERN VT. Hoag's farm, building

SOUTHERN VT., 100-acre farm, building
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m. st.

1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.

By the replies I received from the Situation Ad. for position

BOSTON AMERICAN

80 AND 82 SUMNER ST., BOSTON, JANUARY 22, 1913.

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND,
DAILY AND SUNDAY

Dogs and Girls Make a Very Poor
Combination

A Brief Description of One Modern Scene in a Big City.

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Here is a description of what happened on a busy city corner. A young girl of about eighteen was walking uptown, leading a bulldog fastened to a chain. Another young girl was walking down-town, leading a fox terrier, also on a chain.

These girls were dressed to attract as much attention as possible, and in each case the dog was added as an extra means of advertising—increasing the conspicuousness of the young women, whom good taste should have kept off that crowded street while "airing" their dogs.

Conspicuous as they were, these girls were very demure and scarcely to be noticed, compared with the very tall girl dressed in bright purple, hurrying from the north with two Chinese dogs prancing in front of her, not held by a chain in her hand, but chained together in such a fashion as to enable them to walk three feet from each other.

These Chinese dogs, "chow" so called, with yellowish fur, black tongues, and ears erect, spraddling all over the sidewalk, dragging the chain that fastened them into the legs of respectable passersby, were a very excellent and annoying advertisement of the vanity and lack of common sense of the young woman that owned and followed them.

She was nearly six feet tall. Besides the two dogs that walked ahead of her, she had the entire hide of a blue fox tied around her neck—head, tail and paws dangling. She had a bright blue hat above her purple dress, and it was easy to see that she felt very proud of herself indeed, with one dead animal tied around her neck and two live animals dancing before her.

This galaxy of foolish young women and villainous, out-of-place dogs all met in a magnificent jumble on the corner. There was a mixture of fox terrier, bulldog and Chinese "chow" that lasted for a minute or two.

Several passersby and one policeman were kept busy; traffic was interrupted, and then the dogs were sorted out, and went off with their respective owners.

The girl that owned the bulldog, and had him chained, told the girl with the two "chows" running loose that she ought to be ashamed of herself. The girl that had the fox terrier chained looked scornfully at both the other two girls, and at the other three dogs.

And they went their several ways—each of the women quite contented with herself, and each quite thoroughly puffed by whatever there was of common sense in the crowd that looked on.

It ought to be possible for the fathers and mothers of these girls to identify them from this description. Each when she went home probably told what had happened, putting the blame upon the other dogs and girls, and the praise to herself.

We wish to say to the young women, and to their fathers and mothers, that in thus parading themselves in a crowded street, dragging dogs with them, unnecessarily, they show lack of modesty and good taste.

The parents that permit it, or encourage it, show that they know little.

We may add that each of these dogs probably carried about with him not fewer than five hundred thousand disease germs.

A nice spectacle in an age of alleged civilization—three young women, parading on the most crowded street of a big city, with four useless, hideous, disease-gathering and spreading animals to keep them company.

Too much indulgence, too little common sense, is one trouble with the American girls of this day—and their parents ought to know it.

If "Loyal Ulster" Wants to Bleed
and Suffer—Let Her.

It Is About Her Turn to Do Some of the Suffering. The Rest of Ireland Has Had More Than a Fair Share.

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With a majority of one hundred and ten in its favor, the Liberal government of Great Britain passed the Home Rule bill last Thursday.

This doesn't mean anything except THE SIMPLEST JUSTICE. The English, at least, after centuries of oppression and brutality, mitigated toward the end by a liberal land purchase act, have given to Ireland the minimum of justice and decent treatment.

Thanks to the fighting character of the Irish, thanks to the noble men, the real statesmen, the brilliant orators sent to the House of Commons from Ireland, the victory has come at last.

The Englishmen concerned in this tardy administration of justice to be congratulated. The people of Ireland who helped in the fight, their money, their blood or their talent, deserve the thanks of all people that believe in freedom.

There is one piping, shrill, discordant note, which comes from "Loyal Ulster."

The Unionist leader, Law, representing that particular kind of radicalism which wants justice for itself and not for others, predicts that blood will be shed in Ulster, and says "the men of Ulster are willing to give up their lives for the cause."

If they WANT to bleed, let them try it for a while. If they want to give up their lives, let them see whether they are really in earnest about it.

It is pretty nearly time for the Protestants of Ulster to take their dose of government by coercion and against their will.

For centuries they have ruled Ireland as a minority. Let them now submit and be governed by the majority—or let them be put to the test, and see to what extent they are really willing "to give up their lives."

As a matter of fact, the landlords of Ulster, the sweatshop owners that work the industries there, the sanctimonious, Catholic-hating Protestants will talk and Mr. Law will talk for them. And nothing more will be heard about it. They won't fight.

Home Rule in Ireland will mean real developments of the Irish kingdom, development of industry, working free from any oppressive influences of the past.

For a great body of people, powerful, vigorous remnants of the ancient Celtic race once spread from the East to the West in Europe, a new day is born, a new opportunity.

Wants a Return Match

By TAD



Our Own Dream Book

By WINSOR MC'AY



Complete Interpretation of Visions That Come at Night

NEW THINGS
NOT FOUND IN
ANY BOOKS.

A page of remarkably useful information about how much you should weigh, the right and wrong ways of sleeping, and many other things you will like to know. See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

Dorothy Dix's
Article

—ON—
How to Choose a Husband—Girls Should
Inspect Suitor's
Fathers, as Sauce for
the Goose Is Sauce
for the Gander



By DOROTHY DIX

THE treasurer of the Fathers and Mothers' Club of Boston has been handing out some good advice to young men about how to pick out a wife. Among other things, she tells the Boston avian that before he poses the question to go and take a good long squint at the girl's mother, for as mother is, even so will daughter be when she attains mother's age.

This is wise counsel that every young man would do well to heed, but what is sauce for the goose is also sauce for the gander, and to the girl who asks her to trust her life and happiness to his keeping, it would pay her to make a pilgrimage to his home, and try to get a line upon his father.

Undenably a girl is pretty sure to grow more and more like her mother as she grows older. Also as her character hardens the early impressions come out, and she unconsciously voices the prejudices and views that were bred in her, and understands mother's way of housekeeping, and mother's extravagance or thrift, and gives a living exhibition in her own case of how much mother used to treat father.

But heredity and early impressions are not exclusively feminine peculiarities. The little boy is molded just as much by what he sees and hears as the little girl is, and as he grows older he follows in his father's footsteps just as surely as the girl follows in her mother's. Occasionally there is a reversion from type, instead of a receding to type. I have known cases of where girls, horrified at their mother's sallowish temper and tongue, have controlled their own with such an iron hand that they became patrons of patience and forbearance, or where the daughter of a slovenly mother were so disgusted with her laziness and disorder that they made themselves model housewives.

Also I have heard a man, whose father was boorish and selfish, say that when he was a child it used to break his heart to hear his father speak brutally to his mother, and to notice how her eyes would fill up with tears, and she would wince as at a blow, and that he made up his mind then that if he ever married that he would be tender and gentle to his wife.

These cases, however, are the exceptions that prove the rule, and generally speaking, both men and women carry into their own homes the ideals of married life, whether high or low, to which they were accustomed in their childhood and youth. Therefore, just as a man can safely count on a girl making the kind of a wife her mother makes, so a girl may count on a man making the kind of a husband that his father is.

And this being true, every girl who values her own happiness should make a visit in her prospective husband's home before she finally commits herself. If she finds that her sweet-heart's father is still a lover after

a quarter of a century or more of matrimony; if she sees that he treats his wife with gentle courtesy and consideration; if she observes that he brings his wife a flower, or pulls out her chair for her at the table, or that he is interested in what she is doing, then if the girl knows a good thing when she sees it, she will grab up that man's son and rush with him to the nearest preacher before some other woman, prize-buster gets a chance to get him away from her.

No matter what faults he may have, any man who has been raised by that sort of a father, who has had that sort of an example of how to treat a wife before his eyes all his life, who has had respect, and civility, and consideration for women bred into his very bones, will make the kind of a husband who will make his wife's life a joy for every day of his life. It will be habit with that man to treat his wife right, because he has always seen his mother treated right; and so the way we've been brought up to go because it's the line of the least resistance.

But suppose a girl observes that when her father-in-law-elect is due to come home of an evening that his wife begins to show signs of nervous tension; suppose when he does come he grunts as inarticulate greeting to everybody else's cheery salutation; suppose conversation dies down, and laughter is hushed, and the children go on tip-toe, and a funeral silence takes the place of the former chatter.

Suppose father never speaks at the table except to find fault with the food; suppose he flies into rages and says insulting things to his wife, and disobeys the orders to the children; suppose she hears him rowing over the bills and seeing his wife what she did with that quarter he gave her last week; suppose he sneers at women and shows that he thinks that they are mere slaves invented for the amusement and service of men.

Suppose the girl gets this life-size portrait of the father of the man she is contemplating marrying, what shall she do?

Let her take the tip as to the kind of a husband the son would make, and break her engagement though she were on the very steps of the altar. The man who has seen his mother insulted all of his life will feel he has a perfect right to insult his own wife. He who has watched his mother bullied and brow-beaten will bully and brow-beat any woman in his power, also. The son of a tightwad, and the man who has been reared to see his father make a doorman of his mother will also make one of his wife when he gets her.

Of course, there is an occasional exception to this rule, but like father like son is a safe proposition. If a girl's mother will pick out her father-in-law first, if he's all right she needn't be afraid to trust his son.

From the Babies' Point of View

By PERCY SHAW

WHILE our sisters and mothers

Are working to show

Our fathers and brothers

How little they know,

I would like to make clear,

As worthy of note,

That the time's about near

For us babies to vote.

Long gone by are the days

When we can be coaxed,

Or in old-fashioned ways

Be wheedled and lured,

Away with the bottle!

And down with the crib!

Let us hasten to throne

The garter and bib!

We must marshal our lights

As an organized band;

We must war for our rights

By sea and by land.

No more shall the nation

Behold us supine;

As kings of creation

We sweep into line.

There is only one throne

That gives us concern,

For, although we were born

With power to discern,

Yet the sad fact is here,

Whenever we speak out

Not a soul seems quite clear

Just what it's about.